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WANT-ADS
ARE
Cheap!

WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight; slightly colder in north portion Wednesday.

NUMBER 69

A Good Idea

There appears to be some confusion, even in the minds of some who might be expected to know, concerning the proposals offered in Senate Bill No. 320 by Senator Mayo.

This is a fish and game conservation measure which, as originally drafted, proposed to keep closed to trout fishing during May all of the streams of District 1, and District 1 includes the foothill area from Los Angeles County on the south to Lassen County on the north, and beyond.

El Dorado County is partly in District 1, in which fishing season is open May 1, and partly in District 23, in which the season opens May 30th. This results in confusion which leads fishermen into trouble, sometimes honestly and sometimes not so honestly, when the violation is committed deliberately with knowledge beforehand that the violator can hope to hide behind ignorance of the law.

To the credit of our township courts, violators get no sympathy.

We believe that a majority of the sportsmen of our county will be in favor of the adoption of Senator Mayo's bill, closing District 1 to fishing until May 30th. Certainly it is for the best interests of the fish, since many of native trout spawn during May, and, after all, this is the major issue. For if we do not conserve and propagate our fish, we as individuals are going to suffer in the loss of sport, and those who benefit from catering to fishermen, will lose that patronage as the supply of fish to be caught continues to decline.

Of course, this year is an exceptional year. Owing to the light snowfall of the past winter there may and probably will be fly fishing in some of the streams in the district on May 1, but in the broad scheme of fish and game conservation and continued sport for those who enjoy it, it would appear that the Legislature should approve Senate Bill No. 320 making a few exceptions as are necessary.

Course Of Legislation Told By District Assemblyman

Proposed Measure Reviewed In Committee, Then Goes To Floor For Debate And Vote, And, Passing Both Houses, To Governor

By A. G. "SCOOP" THURMAN
Member of the Assembly, Sixth District

SACRAMENTO—Your assemblyman's first bill passed the senate last Friday with a vote of 25 to 0. The bill, A. B. 2003, will give physically disabled persons an opportunity to take civil service examinations for positions for which they can qualify. It will allow, for example, a person who is hard of hearing and who desires to take an examination for a position which their physical condition will not interfere with, the right to have a shorthand reporter assist them at the examination.

It might interest the readers of this newspaper to know the manner in which a bill is introduced and finally passed. Following the introduction of a bill in the assembly, for example, the bill is referred to a committee. The bill referred to above was placed in the assembly committee on civil service. As the author of the bill it was then my duty to appear before this committee and explain the purpose of the bill and endeavor to have the committee give it a "do pass" recommendation which would place the bill before the assembly for a vote. Assisted in appearing before this committee by several members of the Society for the Hard of Hearing, I was successful in having the bill given a "do pass" recommendation and when the bill came up for a vote in the lower house it was given a unanimous vote.

After the bill's passage by the assembly it then was sent to the civil service committee of the senate where, as author of the bill, I again had to appear and explain its purpose. Again the bill was given the unanimous endorsement of the committee. With the bill then before the senate, your assemblyman secured the cooperation of Senators Jesse Mayo and Jerrold Seawell in sponsoring the bill on the floor of the upper house where, as we stated above, it was given the unanimous vote of the 25 members present last Friday. When the governor signs the bill, it will then become a law.

The above brief sketch, I believe, will give you an idea as to how laws are passed. The bill must first be recommended by the committee of the house in which it is introduced and must pass through both committees and both houses.

The past week has been a busy one I can assure you, with numerous bills affecting the smaller towns and communities up for consideration. This coming week the budget hearing will be resumed and it is likely that most of the week will be devoted to that particular bill. In the hearing on the bill two weeks ago the author of the budget bill agreed to eliminate one item in the budget. The item was the \$200,000 appropriation for the purpose of establishing a state health insurance plan. This item

will be placed in the proposed insurance bill, instead of in the budget. This was considered a victory for the economy group, who feel that taxes cannot be increased and that the power to tax is the power to destroy. It is possible that this week other items in the budget may be reduced in the interest of economy.

DR. M. E. HENSLEY HAS OPENED OFFICES IN PLACERVILLE

Dr. M. E. Hensley has completed moving his dental equipment to Placerville and is now at the service of the public in the offices formerly occupied by the late Dr. A. L. White.

The dental suite has been thoroughly renovated and remodeled to suit Dr. Hensley's convenience.

Dr. Hensley comes to Placerville from Glendale, where he has resided for eighteen years and where for the past twelve years he has been engaged in dental practice. He is a member of the national and state dental associations and the Southern Dental Association and is a dental surgeon in the medical emergency corps.

Although Dr. Hensley is just beginning his dental practice in Placerville, he is no stranger to this section of the state, being a native of the Sacramento vicinity. Several years ago he selected Placerville as a place he would like to live and, having in mind moving here at some future time, he built a home at Camino.

SOFTBALL DIRECTORS TO MEET THURSDAY ON SEASON PLANS

Further plans for the coming softball season, tentatively scheduled to open about May 15, will be considered Thursday night at a meeting of the league directors at the P. G. & E. Company hall.

The directors will pass on matters ratified by the managers of teams in the league at their meeting last Thursday night, and will consider other affairs to be submitted to a meeting of the managers on April 20.

Former Placerville Resident Wins

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hardy, of Placerville, on Tuesday received word of the marriage at Sacramento on Monday of their daughter, Mary Stell, formerly of this city and more recently resident at Sacramento.

The gentleman of her choice is Eddie Marshall, who is engaged in the printing trade, at Sacramento.

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH HAYTAYLOR

Executive Secretary
Agricultural Council
of California

At a time when organized labor is at war in its own ranks, tying up business and industry with jurisdictional disputes and fighting bitterly for supremacy in its own household, it is no time to give labor leaders added power by enactment of special privilege labor legislation.

Likewise, with unemployment still rampant and recovery still far from achievement, it is no time to increase labor costs.

And any labor relations legislation which may be sought, setting up unfair labor practices, must apply equally to both sides—the employee, as well as the employer!

Such, in effect, are the recommendations of the Agricultural Council of California, representing the State's major farm cooperatives, with regard to labor bills pending before the State Legislature.

Taking into consideration the fact that California wages are higher than wage scales in the nation at large, the council also recommends against any attempt to enact a State Wage and Hour Act at this time. And on the same score, it has turned thumbs down on bills to set up artificial food and drug standards, which would put this state, with its already highly-standardized better quality products—at an economic disadvantage with other states in marketing its commodities.

With respect to measures designed to extend the state's unemployment insurance program, the Council recommends that no action be taken to broaden its scope until the state administrators have worked out the intricacies of the present law and established an efficient, workable program under it.

In addition to these recommendations, the Council, at its semi-annual meeting recently, voted unanimously to oppose the inauguration of a production-for-use program in California for persons now on the dole.

The council took cognizance of the statement of the State Relief Administrator that the dole, as now administered, will bankrupt the state in 10 years—most of its members concurring in the statement. But it found, following careful survey and study, that production-for-use experiments, wherever they have been conducted in California, have been far more costly than direct relief of the dole. In fact, the relief administrator himself stated as much to the assembly recently.

Analyses of State Relief Administration operations by the State Department of Finance, as of June 30, 1938, reveal that 51 of the self-help production-for-use projects have been discontinued and owe the administration \$207,565.03. And the 35 units still active as of June 30, 1938, owe the administration \$181,823.73.

Throwing additional light on the economic unsoundness of the production-for-use program, the Division of Self-Help Cooperatives, in reply to a letter asking for comparative costs of self-help units and direct relief, reported that a study of the period from April 1 to December 31, 1937, showed the production-for-use projects cost \$319,214.42 more than it would have cost to maintain the same number of persons on the dole.

Computing that it would have cost \$40 per month per family to support the same families on direct relief, the Division listed the comparative costs as follows:

Actual cost on production-for-use basis, \$690,814.41; cost if direct relief had been used, \$371,600.00; additional cost, due to self-help project system, \$319,214.42.

The above computations do not include administrative costs of the division of self-help, which ran as high as \$8,500 per month during the period under consideration.

Another dangerous aspect of the production-for-use program is evidenced by the fact that on June 30, 1938, according to a survey by the State Department of Finance, the state had in its possession "an inventory of over \$220,000 of commodities (produced by such projects), a large portion of which cannot be used in cooperative bartering nor otherwise utilized for relief."

The question which will naturally come to mind with any farmer reading this statement is: "Just where are these products to be sold? Are California farmers, as taxpayers, going to be forced to buy farms for unemployed, pay the overhead—and then have the production of such farms thrown into competition with their own on the open market? Or are the products to be allowed to rot in state warehouses?"

O.E.S. GREET'S GRAND MATRON

Three Chapters Unite For Meeting Held In Placerville Monday

Ethel Maud Fleuch, of Merced, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of Eastern Star, paid her official visit to the chapters of this district on Monday evening at a meeting held at the Masonic Hall.

Sharing in the meeting were members of Natoma Chapter, of Folsom, and El Dorado Chapter, of El Dorado, with Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90 as the hostess chapter.

Among other distinguished visitors were Gertrude Conant, of Wheatland, grand conductress, Merl Bartley, of Roseville, district deputy grand matron; Mabel Boyd Seymour, of Sacramento, a past grand matron, and other grand officers from other districts.

The Worthy Grand Matron was greeted at a reception and dinner at Hotel Raffles at 6:30 o'clock following which the party adjourned to the Masonic temple for the chapter meeting. In the course of the program, the Worthy Grand Matron was presented with an appropriate remembrance of her visit to the district. Entertainment included a vocal solo by Robert Barker with accompaniment by Mrs. Ruby Wright and a piano solo by Mrs. Helen Brewster.

Upon the conclusion of the meeting, refreshments were served in the banquet room.

The Worthy Grand Matron will pay her official visit to Mountain Fern Chapter of the order, at Georgetown, on Saturday night.

C. of C. Meets Monday Night

Committee Reports On Pending Matters Chief Order Of Business

Reports of committees on matters referred to them at the March meeting promise to provide the principal order of business for the April meeting of the county Chamber of Commerce, which will be held Monday night at 7 o'clock at Hotel Raffles.

Particular interest attaches to two reports due Monday evening: one by a committee considering legislative proposals viewed as radical; another by the city and county committee, to which the proposal for establishment of a full-time health service in the county was referred.

In addition the meeting will hear a report on plans for the May Day picnic, the status of the Georgetown water situation, and reports of subcommittees of the publicity committee, which are working on road signs and the marking of historic sites in the county.

REV. HENRY WALSH TO CHART HISTORY OF CHURCH IN REGION

The Rev. Father Henry J. Walsh, S. J., professor of American history at Santa Clara University, who was a speaker Sunday at the Easter rites at St. Patrick's church, remained in Placerville on Monday and revealed that he is looking forward to a substantial leave from the university faculty which he will devote to compiling history of the Catholic Church in the Mother Lode.

Father Walsh, formerly state chaplain of the American Legion, called on Dr. L. J. Anderson Monday in connection with his plans for contacting various sources of historical information in this vicinity.

Visiting The Democrat office, he promised to return again in his study for a survey of the files of The Mountain Democrat.

Previously Father Walsh had contacted Miss Margaret Kelly, Will O. Upton and others, making arrangements to gather at some future time such information as they have which will contribute to the subject of his study.

Gold Hill School Has Well Down 20 Feet

Gold Hill school has its new well to a depth of twenty feet with adequate water, according to County Superintendent K. W. McCoy.

The school trustees hope to finish the well and install a pressure distribution system and for the purpose of assisting in this project a card party is to be given Saturday night, April 29, at the Community Hall at Coloma.

EL DORADO LEADS STATE IN FEWEST BABY DEATHS

Past Year Sets New Low Mark In California With 43.8 Per Thousand; County Record Shows Only 16.3 Deaths Per Thousand

El Dorado County can boast of the best infant mortality rate of any city or county in California in a year in which the state's record of infant deaths is the best ever.

This is according to figures made public at Sacramento early this week by Dr. W. M. Dickie, director of the state health department.

The state's record in infant mortality dropped during 1938 from 53.7

PARTY MARKS 3 BIRTHDAYS

Wm. Pearson, Jay Stackpole And Mrs. Wm. Johnson Are Honored On Sunday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson was the scene of a happy gathering on Sunday remembering the 84th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Johnson's father, William Pearson, of Camino; and the 80th birthday of Mr. Johnson's uncle, Jay Stackpole, of Placerville.

The day also kept a third birthday, when the group surprised Mrs. Johnson by remembering her birthday anniversary.

Relatives and friends who shared the day included Mrs. Ida Bailey, Eva Fowler and S. Carlson, of Placerville; Mr. and Mrs. William Smyth, Mrs. Lois Bicknell and daughter, Jean, all of Reno; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smyth, of Paradise; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sherman and sons, Leland and Lowell, and Mrs. Zay Sherman, all of Fair Oaks; Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLean, Walter, Jr., Phyllis and James McLean, all of San Leandro; Mrs. Clara Sackett and Mrs. Basil Tapp, of Roseville; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherman, Leonard, Zae and Marie Sherman, of Sacramento; Mrs. F. S. Gibbs, of Berkeley and Mr. and Mrs. Max Canfield, of San Francisco, in addition to the guests of honor and the host and hostess.

OLSON ATTACKS STATE C. OF C. AS BUDGET BATTLE RAGES

SACRAMENTO, (U)—Legislative bickering over the \$357,000,000 biennial budget was enlivened today as Gov. Culbert Olson pointed an accusing finger at the California state chamber of commerce and "special financial interests" for sabotaging his program of new taxes by means "subversive to the public welfare and our democratic processes and institutions."

Publicizing of methods used by the commerce group—which are similar to most organizations having an interest in state legislation—came as the state assembly wrangled over the budget and Olson floor leaders scrambled to corral enough votes to forestall Republican attempts to insert economy amendments.

Democrats won an opening skirmish yesterday with a 37 to 36 vote to continue budget hearings today.

Police Chief Receives Bid To Party

Chief of Police James P. Morton has received an invitation to attend the first grand ball of the Folsom Prison Officers and Guards to be held May 3 at Merriam Hall, the fair grounds, Sacramento.

Prison guards, police, firemen, members of the National Guard and the Highway Patrol are expected to take part in uniform in the grand march.

Church Men's Club To Hear Geology Talk

The regular meeting of the men's club of the Federated Church will be held Wednesday at 6:30 at the church parlors, with dinner served by the women of the church.

Arthur Richards will present a paper on the geology of the county following which the usual question box and round table discussion will be conducted, with President J. W. Caswell presiding.

Caswell was recently chosen president. He succeeds Robert Ramsey, Walter Jenkinson is the newly chosen secretary.

Shingle Couple Wed In Reno Over Weekend

A license to wed was issued at Reno over the weekend to Arthur S. Williamson, 32, and Millie Turnbull, 20, both of Shingle Springs.

BRITAIN SEEKS TO CURB DUCE

French, British Fleets Sail In Secret Orders For Mediterranean Points

BOMBAY, India, (U)—Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, former president of the German Reichsbank, said on his arrival today on a vacation tour, that "Germany won't fight—if the democracies will be reasonable and return Germany's former colonies."

NAVIES SHIFTED

LONDON, (U)—Great Britain and France sent war fleets into the Mediterranean today to back up their diplomatic demands for an end to Italian expansion in the Balkans and the withdrawal of Fascist soldiers from Spain.

Under secret orders to dominate strategic points in the Mediterranean, the warships of the democratic powers were reported massing off the entrance to the Adriatic Sea as Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain sought a pledge that Italy would avoid endangering the independence of Greece.

Developments included: 1. King George returned to London from Windsor Castle to get a last minute report from Chamberlain, who is expected to announce a British guarantee of Greek and Turkish frontiers on Thursday unless negotiations with Premier Benito Mussolini make it unnecessary.

2. Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax conferred with Soviet Ambassador Ivan Miasnikin on the Russian attitude toward latest developments.

3. A high British source said arrangements were complete under which Turkey would attack Bulgaria.

Pupils Address Lions Club

3 High School Girls In Oratorical Contest; One To Compete Further

The Lions oratorical contest held the center of the stage at the Tuesday meeting of the Placerville Club when three girl pupils of the county high school competed in an elimination try-out in a contest being conducted in the state by the Lions. Judges had been secretly named by the club and their report naming the winner will be read to the club at next Tuesday's meeting.

The speakers, who attended the meeting with Lion B. E. Larson, high school principal, and Thomas Flynn, instructor in public speaking, were Marion Harris, Inez Bongetta and Helen Brander, all of whom spoke on "Democracy."

Principal Larson also invited the club to plan its annual meeting at the high school on Tuesday evening, April 25.

An announcement called attention to next week's meeting, at which a speaker will discuss the workings of the state Board of Equalization. Chairman Palmer, of the health committee, urged the subcommittee chairman to report on the work.

Among visitors at the club were Dr. M. E. Hensley, guest of Lion Allen, and E. J. Robinson and D. J. McCaughan, guests of Lion Don Robinson. Lion Don had the pleasure of introducing his grandfather and his father-in-law to the club.

MRS. JULIA ANN HOLT DIED ON MONDAY AT HOME OF HER SON

Mrs. Julia Ann Holt, 82, formerly of Orange, this state, died Monday at the home of her son, Frank M. Holt, at Kelsey, where she had been visiting for several months.

The body will be removed on Wednesday in the care of Memory Chapel to Sacramento, and from there will be sent to Orange where funeral services and interment will take place on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Holt was a native of Crawford County, Indiana, and is survived, in addition to the son at whose home she passed away, by one other son, Ancel Holt, of Kansas, and by one half-sister, Mrs. Carrie Howland, also of Kansas. Ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive her.

Outstanding registered warrants now amount to \$46,341,000, Riley declared.

Around Our Town

Alston Sutton, formerly in charge of the Placerville office of the State Employment Service, who has been transferred to Vallejo, left Tuesday to take up his new duties. Mrs. Sutton expects to join him on Wednesday.

Harriett C. Wimbley has filed suit for divorce from Pat Wimbley on grounds of cruelty. The complaint, prepared by Attorney T. S. Marlor, states the couple wed December 22, 1937, at Sacramento, and separated April 7, 1939. They have one child whose custody the plaintiff asks.

Rev. Harold Morehouse officiated Saturday at the marriage of Moody Farris, 29, and Marie Opal Means, 18, both of Placerville, according to a certificate of record Monday at the courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Willard and daughter were at Healdsburg to spend the Easter weekend with Mrs. Willard's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Null. Ellsworth returned home Monday leaving Mrs. Willard and the baby to spend the week with grandpa and grandma.

Ranger George B. Young left on Tuesday morning to spend several days in the Salt Springs district.

Ranger M. D. Morris was at Pacific district headquarters on Monday.

WARRANT INDEBTEDNESS NEARS RECORD HIGH FOR BIENNIAL

SACRAMENTO, (U)—State Controller Harry B. Riley predicted the state warrant indebtedness would reach \$66,733,000 by the end of the fiscal year June 30 and rise to a record high of \$84,509,000 by April 30, 1940.

The controller said he based his estimate on expenditures proposed by Gov. Culbert Olson's \$557,000,000 biennial budget that the figures would be affected, however, by any changes made in the present tax

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BY EL DORADO COUNTY
 BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

General Fund

F. O. E., No. 889, rent of polling place	\$20.00
Pat. & Moise Klinkner Co., supplies	1.87
Burroughs Add. Mach. Company, service	4.45
Schwabacher Frey Co., supplies	11.77
C. F. Scott Co., supplies	8.60
A. A. McKinnon, M. D., service	33.00
J. A. Raffetto Jr., meals	281.98
Orelli Electric Co., supplies	4.03
P. J. Hall, road comm.	25.00
Chas. E. Green, road comm.	25.00
Cyril H. Heuser, road comm.	25.00
Carl Niguel, road comm.	25.00
Wm. H. Breedlove, road comm.	25.00
Wm. H. Breedlove, expenses	

Supervisors con.	27.05
Joseph Scherrer, P. M., postage	1.41
Joseph Scherrer, P. M., stamp envelopes	54.32
Joseph Scherrer, P. M., stamps	10.00
Joseph Scherrer, P. M., permit for mailing	37.74
Jos. Scherrer, P. M., postage	4.50
Jos. Scherrer, P. M., box rent	7.10
A. L. Drysdale, Ins. premium	7.50
D. S. Lime Co., supplies	24.20
Pville News Co., supplies	36.08
J. A. Winkelman, agr. comm.	16.44
Adolph Adler, repairs	2.04
E. J. Lake, services	1.00
Western Union Tel. Co.	32.92
Dan Ball, labor	1.44
Pville Hdwe. Co., labor	3.50
C. F. Molinari, fuel oil	.88
C. F. Scott Co., supplies	77.00
Don M. Hoffman, attending engineers convention	25.95
A. A. McKinnon, services	50.00
A. A. Reckers, service	25.00
Murray's, supplies	5.00
	6.34

Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

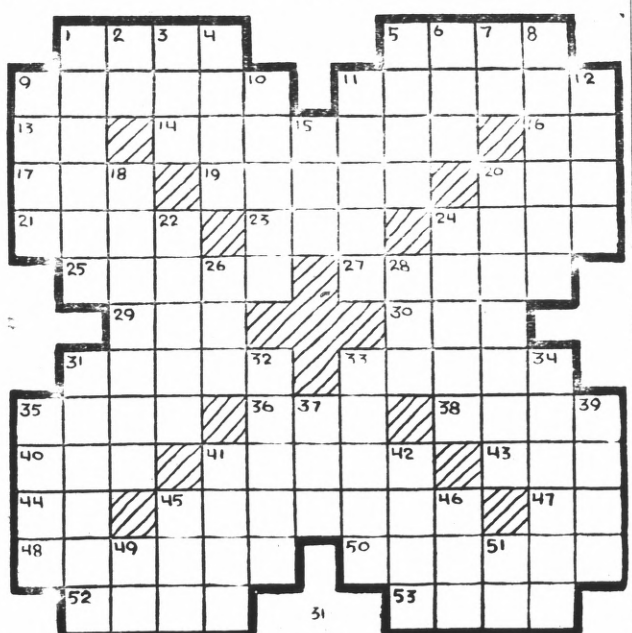
- 1—Fruit
- 2—Wine measures
- 3—Lubricating
- 4—God (Hebrew)
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- 21—Exist
- 22—Deceivers
- 23—Compass points
- 24—Close by
- 25—Number
- 26—Prefix, down
- 27—Overwhelm
- 28—Three-legged stand
- 29—Kind

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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DOWN

1—Pale
 2—The (Spanish)
 3—Parasitic larvae
 4—Back
 5—Is the matter
 6—Beverage
 7—D sharp in B
 8—Shouts from ambush
 9—Sound of bell
 10—Clan
 11—Fat
 12—Small valley
 13—Girl's name
 14—Gymnastic apparatus
 15—Run machine
 16—Old womanish
 17—Western Indian
 18—Cow's chew
 19—Mohammed's adopted son
 20—Unintelligent persons
 21—Rigid
 22—Mark of insertion
 23—Repeated melodies
 24—Tropical fruit
 25—Consume
 26—Require
 27—Light song
 28—Slo-Slo-Slo
 29—Animal's skin
 30—Greek island
 31—Proceed
 32—Point (labor)



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Patricia Darlington, services	35.99
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co., service	93.70
Winifred R. Carsten, work in office of Co. Assessor	62.50
Pville News Co., supplies	2.63
A. J. Orelli, inquests	41.55
The Sportsman's Shop, supplies	6.00
Chas. W. Ball, probation officer, mileage	4.00
Milo Carr, supplies	5.50
Henry S. Lyon, expenses	36.34
Fred Lowes, labor	7.50
A. Carlisle & Co., supplies	86.14
Pville. Mun. Water Works, water	15.00
E. L. Scott, Assessor, exp.	15.00
Bur. Adding Mach. Co., service	6.60
Mary C. Bennett, chairs	50.00
Geo. N. Hammond Co., sup.	1.03
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., services	11.82
Ralph Jones, mileage	8.00
Ralph Jones, expenses	47.11
Susan M. Nunally, clerical work	5.50
D. E. Armstrong, service	54.00
Ruby Grace, janitorial sup.	26.94
Geo. M. Smith, expenses	29.95
Shell Oil Co., supplies	13.62
Mt. Democrat, printing	120.61
P. G. & E. Co., services	74.90
Chas. L. Gilmore, service rendered	14.60
Industrial Accident Comm. Ins. premium	1830.51
Arthur S. Dastan, repairs	10.59
Schwabacher Frey Co., sup.	28.33
Cyril H. Heuser, expenses-convention	16.30
Geo. A. Miller, mileage and services	6.00
Arthur J. Koletzke, expenses-County Clerks con.	48.10
C. F. Scott Co., supplies	23.40
C. F. Scott Co., supplies	26.99
A. Lietz & Co., supplies	2.40
A. Carlisle & Co., supplies	33.76
M. O'Keefe Co., supplies	50
Pville Auto Co., labor	18.75
Pville Times, printing	47.18
Diamond Match Co., supplies	41
Fox Bros., supplies	3.76
Diamond Match Co., supplies	2.79
L. O. Lukens, supplies	85.00
Murray's, supplies	11.12
Don Morton, office equip.	15.40
Bancroft Whitney Co., sup.	7.82
A. Carlisle & Co., supplies	7.45
W. D. Moody, const. services	6.80

A. B. C. Fund

George W. Haines, trapping

Road District No. 1

Ira N. Burke, labor	110.00
J. C. Darlington, labor	7.00
W. M. Harp, labor	108.50
Dan Ball, labor	59.50
Fred Lowes, labor	97.00
Fred Lowes, labor	2.27
Richard White, labor	42.00
L. S. Quinn, down payment on McCormack - Deering model T, D. 40 and Bueryrus Erie Bulgrader	2000.00
Pville Motor Parts, supplies	58
Chas. L. Fossati, supplies	3.50
J. R. White, labor and supplies	8.26
Shell Oil Co., gas	25.90

Road District No. Two

Tom Gordon, labor	2.77
Tom Gordon, labor	56.73
L. R. Springer, labor foreman	82.23
L. R. Springer, labor	2.77
E. H. Higgins, labor	23.20
Ernest A. Gray, labor	27.13
A. L. Capelini, labor	26.25
Joe Lalor, labor	26.25
Ross McCoy, labor	58.00
Shell Oil Co., supplies	52.22
Pville Hdwe. Co., supplies	6.99
Weaver Tractor Co., payment on lease agreement	321.02
Weaver Tractor Co., parts	1.79

Road District No. Three

Frank McDonald, labor	7.00
B. L. Went, labor	7.00
Jack Price, repairs and parts	22.72
Diamond Match Co., supplies	1.24
Calif. Auto Ass'n., signs	8.39

Road District No. Five

Elmer S. Francis, labor	2.27
Elmer S. Francis, truck driver	40.23
Elmer S. Francis, supplies	19.73
Wm. Vaughn, labor	79.23
Wm. Vaughn, labor	1.77
Rudolph Shepherd, labor	2.27
Rudolph Shepherd, road foreman	87.73
W. H. Melchior, labor	54.00
Geo. W. Breedlove, labor	52.50
Tom Morgan, labor	56.00
Ed. Brauer, labor	35.00
Lauren Pendleton, labor	35.00
Carl M. Simpson, labor	10.50

Road District No. Five

Marion Guidici, labor	30.00
R. O. Murdock, labor	14.00
Thos. E. Lemasney, labor	10.50
John Rolfe, labor	10.50
Howard Proctor, labor	15.75
Guy Davenport, labor	52.50
Allen Swansborough, labor	3.50
Melvin J. Mace, labor	15.59
G. C. Lundlee, labor	90.00
Celiam Adams, labor	45.00
Arthur Fuqua, labor	59.00
Laura B. Rasor, board and room	4.00
J. C. Ackley, rent	20.00
Don M. Hoffman, services	5.00
J. D. Adams Co., rental	181.51
Tidewater Asst'd. Oil Co., supplies	122.24
D. S. Lime Co., supplies	27.66
Pville Auto Co., labor and supplies	12.29
Weaver Tractor Co., payment on lease agreement	250.00
C. S. Collins, labor	41.27

Bridge Fund

Joe Lalor, labor	8.00
Don M. Hoffman, service & mileage	30.10
Don M. Hoffman, 5 percent of Granite Creek bridge	33.75
Hector Williamson, 75 percent of bridge contract	506.25
C. W. Flick, lumber	4.45
A. L. Capelini, labor	8.00

Motor Vehicle No. One

L. S. Quinn, balance on McCormick Deering model TD, 40 & Bueryrus Erie wide gauge bulgrader	2582.50
D. S. Lime Co., supplies	93.10
Standard Oil Co.,	84.69
Gust Bros., labor & supplies	7.28
Anton Pilati, labor and sup.	14.50
D. W. Horstmeier, labor	14.00

Motor Vehicle No. Two

Ralph Jones, labor	107.50
Ralph Jones, cat driver	15.00
E. G. Schieber, supplies	151.99
Tidewater Asst'd. Oil Co., supplies	51.47
Union Oil Co., supplies	29.66
Gust Bros., repairs	10.31
Jas. Davidson, labor	142.73
James Davidson, labor	2.27
J. E. Fisk, labor	84.00
Hugh Watkins, labor	73.50
Howard K. Miser, labor	49.00
M. W. Carpenter, labor	82.25
Earl R. Hall, labor	109.75
A. E. Trumbly, labor	36.75
G. B. Tatum, labor	79.00

Motor Vehicle No. Four

Walter Hall, labor	17.50
P. J. Bassett, labor	16.50
Walter Noyes, labor	10.50
Frank Coster, labor	19.25
Joe Coster, labor	28.00
Joe Coster, labor	60.00
C. A. Thomson, labor	10.50
Ernest Brown, labor	21.00
M. S. Kyburz, labor	60.00
S. A. Kyburz, labor	42.00
A. Luneman, labor	14.00
Irving Veerkamp, labor	10.50
H. A. Peoples, labor	7.00
Chas. Oulicky, labor	9.92
Karel Oulicky, labor	14.00
John Rhorer, labor	3.50

Motor Vehicle 4 Fund

W. E. Bowman, labor	15.00
Fred Smith, labor	7.00
Sam Summers, labor	7.00
H. M. Winje, labor	7.44
Jas. Monroe, labor	3.50
Henry Walker, labor	15.75
H. Goldworthy, labor	12.25
La Verne Kune, asst matron	40.00

F. L. Thomas, labor	14.00
E. R. Gillespie, labor	21.75
M. Anabel, labor	7.00
Wm. Miller, labor	26.25
Chas. J. Price, labor	20.00
N. S. Grout, labor	41.00
Henry Bennett, labor	7.00
C. F. Hines, labor	27.00
Geo. B. Wagner, labor	102.50
Chester Dodge, labor	7.00
Ralph Milton, labor	10.50
Adam Rogers, labor	7.00
Harold Winje, labor	10.00
Thos. Darrington, labor	22.75
Leslie Darrington, labor	22.75
D. S. Lime Co., supplies	45.92

Standard Oil Company of Calif., supplies

Geo. W. Safranek, supplies	85.40
Lottie Galleher, supplies	69.90
Weaver Tractor Co., payment on lease agreement	350.00
Weaver Tractor Co., parts	31.12
Placerville Motor Parts, parts	7.44
Stillman E. Votaw, labor	3.50
Samuel E. Kaiser, labor	12.25

Motor Vehicle 3 Fund

Hector Williamson, labor	206.25
Frank Lohmiller, labor	7.00
Readers Welding Works, services	33.20
Wm. H. Breedlove, mileage, room and board	34.00
The Placerville Times, printing	5.46
Fox Bros. Drug Store, supplies	2.26
Wallace M. Ripley, expenses	51.21

Park Fund

Placerville Hardware Co., supplies	25.90
Fred Lowes, hauling	2.50
Chas. L. Fossati, supplies	10.56

Veterans Fund

Clifton and Co., hauling	6.56
Placerville Mun. Water Wks., water	1.50
P. G. and E. Co., service	4.90

Camino Truck Service, supplies

Orelli Electric Co., supplies, labor	5.31
Otto J. Perschke, janitor	25.00

Immigration Fund

Kelly's Grocery, supplies	12.69
Wallace M. Ripley, services	1.70
Sey, C. of C.	125.00
Murray's, supplies	1.70
The Land Studio, supplies and services	7.45
The Placerville Times, printing	109.38
Placerville Bakery, supplies	3.36

Farm Advisor Fund

Pac. Tel. and Teleg. Co., services	7.20
Doris Liddicoet, services	100.00
P. G. & E. Co., services	1.38
H. S. Crocker, supplies	6.30
Farm Advisor, cash advanced	5.03
Sarah R. Celio, rent	30.00
Placerville Auto Co., rent	6.50
Diamond Springs Lighting Dist. P. G. and E. Co., service	52.70

Weimar San. Fund

Weimar Jt. Sanatorium, maintenance	826.62
Weimar Jt. Sanatorium, administration, bldg.	307.13
Subvention Fund	
Placerville Times, printing	14.94
Joseph Scherrer, postage	10.00
Placerville News Co., supplies	1.75
State Dept. of Public Health, medical care for Maxine Potts	10.00
Memory Chapel, funerals	75.00
Regents of University of Calif., services	66.46

Hospital Fund

Sylvia Tobey, matron	58.23
Sylvia Tobey, matron	1.77
W. D. Tobey, steward	112.73
W. D. Tobey, steward	2.27
Laura Ferguson, cook	73.23
Laura Ferguson, cook	1.77
A. A. McKinnon, supt.	90.00
Elsie Dudley, nurse	48.00
La Verne Kune, asst matron	40.00

G. W. Shepherd, labor	7.00
Pac. Tel. and Teleg. Co., service	5.90
El Dorado Motor Trans. Co., hauling	1.16
John Rivett, labor	5.00
Diamond Match Co., supplies	11.46
Calif. State Auto Assoc., signs	5.86
The Upjohn Co., supplies	14.01
Sharp and Dohme, supplies	23.06
P. G. and E. Co., service	30.41
M. T. Kelly, supplies	96.00
Fox Bros., supplies	92.44
M. O'Keefe Co., supplies	24.60
Forni's Market, meats	93.18
A. J. Orelli, ambulance service	2.50
W. H. Combella, supplies	7.47
Standard Oil Co. of Calif., supplies	3.35
Clifton and Co., hauling	6.65
H. A. Juvenal, labor	2.50
Albert Rhodes, labor	2.50
Benjamin and Rackerby, supplies	37.82
Placerville Mun. Water Wks., water	12.00
The Sportsman's Shop, supplies	4.48
Orelli Electric Company, supplies and labor	17.73
Sharp and Dohme, supplies	14.91
C. F. Molinari, fuel oil	85.29

The Warren Teed Co., supplies

Sharp and Dohme, supplies	2.25
E. R. Squibbs and Sons, supplies	29.50
Placerville Hardware Co., supplies	15.39
Murray's supplies	1.34
Henry Swanberg, labor	5.00
M. T. Kelly, supplies	2.50
Harkins, Jr., who began practicing recently	58.08
A. J. Orelli, ambulance	7.50
Wudell's Shoppe, supplies	1.33

Indigent Fund

Wudell's Shoppe, supplies	1.33
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Albert Vivian, labor	7.00
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"GOING PLACES" OFFERS NEW BATCH OF HIT TUNES

"Going Places," the new Warner Bros. comedy which makes its local debut at the Empire Theatre tonight introduces a batch of new tunes that are already being heard over the airways. Penned by the inimitable team of song writers, Harry Warren and Johnny Mercer, the songs are "Say It With a Kiss," "Mutiny in the Nursery" and "Jeepers Creepers."

Dick Powell, who stars in the picture, gets some able musical assistance from Louis (Satchelmouth) Armstrong and his trumpet, and Maxine Sullivan, dusky songstress.

A winning trio is expected to score a third hit in the field of mystery film thrillers in "The Last Warning," which is on the same bill.

Preston Foster and Frank Jenks appear for the third time as Bill Crane and Doc Williams, super-

Wife Preservers



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Milk has been found to remove mercury stains from clothing. Rinse the stain with milk, rubbing it in a little. If the first application does not do the trick, try a second.

Calava had packed 7,300,000 lbs. of fruit up to March 1.
Coachella Valley has 1085 acres planted to sweet corn.

Smartest Coat Is Untrimmed Model



Untrimmed model.

By VERA WINSTON

THE SMARTEST COATS this spring are the untrimmed models. These unadorned coats rely on color, line and interesting detail for their charm. Here is a coat that conforms to all these specifications. It is of wool in a delicate shade of almond green. A stitched collar and a stitched band all the way down the front lend an attractive note. Large leather buttons to tone. Slit pockets are in one with the seams at the side, from which terminate inverted flares on the skirt.

Household Hint

If you want to buy a silk dress, be sure the words, "pure dye silk" are on the label. If they are, there is not more than 10 per cent other substance mixed with the silk if it is colored; not over 15 per cent if it is black. Other materials may be labeled "pure dye," so see that all three words, "pure dye silk" are used.

Household Hint

Hat feathers can be recurred with a paring knife, and ribbons may be refreshed with a good cleaning fluid. Run around inside the hat-band with cleaner, too.



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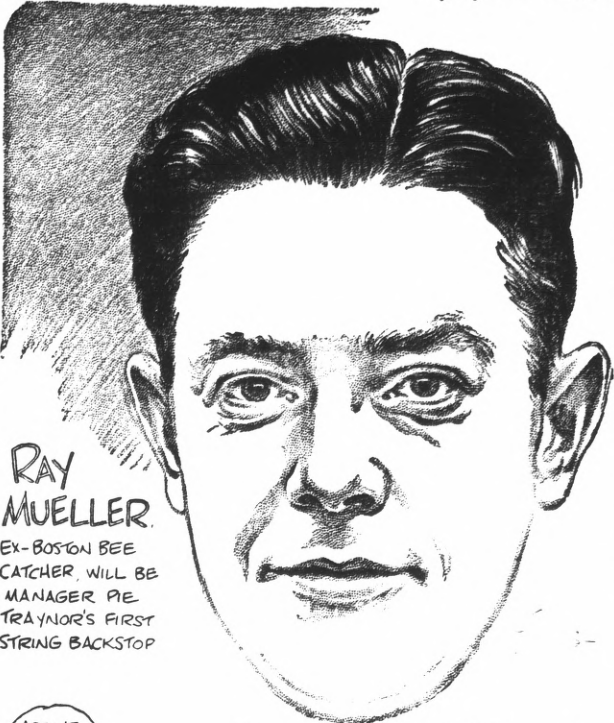
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Sports Parade

By HENRY McLEMORE

ASHEVILLE, N. C., (U)—Critical golf notes on the "land of the sky" open by a man whose best round was "no card;" the moving finger having writ, Johnny Revolta could not do anything about it, but he was a sad man as he sat in the Biltmore-Forest locker room and thought about what that six-put green in the first round did to him. He is the first professional ever to regret not having four-putted, because if he had he would have won \$1,200 first money. . . . given a six on that par three hole instead of an eight, and he would have beaten Dick Metz by a stroke.

Speaking of putting, I played a round with Mrs. Opal Hill, winner of more than 150 major championships before she turned professional last year. Mrs. Hill is the greatest putter in the world. . . . that is not just my opinion, but the opinion of the best male golfers. . . . Mrs. Hill thinks the United States Golf Association had very little to do when it warned the girl amateurs against accepting gratuities on the winter swing. . . . "The girls who play in tournaments are the finest amateurs in the world," Mrs. Hill said, "and many of them have less than enough to get by on. . . . I can't see any harm in their accepting free board and room now and then. . . . If the U. S. G. A. wants to clean house, why not take a peek into the men amateurs? . . . certainly they are no purer than the girls. . . ."

Mrs. Hill thinks there is a great field for women professionals. . . . says it stands to reason that a capable woman player is better suited to teach one of her own sex than a man, who cannot possibly understand a woman's physical limitations. . . . "men teach golf from the tee to the green," Mrs. Hill said, "women should be taught from the green to the tee, because it is in the short game that a woman has a chance to be an expert as a man. . . . man-power is not needed to chip and putt expertly. . . ."

Game guy: Benny Hogan, who, suffering from the "flu" and advised by his physician not to play, staggered out on the course and finished in a tie for second place. . . . I picked up after two rounds in the tournament, but I won a prize. . . . yes, a prize, in the form of enough North Carolina homespun cloth to make a two-pants suit for Oliver Hardy. . . . the tournament officials undoubtedly took one look at my back swing and decided that if I were trying to make a living out of golf I soon would need clothes for my back. . . . either that, or because

CANNON WILL ATTEND AUTO DEALERS CONVENTION

The nation's most important automobile trade convention will be held in San Francisco April 17 to 20, according to Lloyd Cannon, local dealer for Chevrolet motor cars, when the membership of the National Automobile Dealers Association converges on the bay city three thousand strong. Special trains and planes are now being made up for the motor car dealers from the New England states, New York and Pennsylvania, and the middle western states, according to the local member of the aggressive association. Other thousands will come by car in what will prove to be the largest motorcade yet headed for San Francisco and Treasure Island.

"Many members of N. A. D. A. are expected to attend the convention from this community," the dealer said. "This is the first time that the National Automobile Dealers body had held its annual gathering in California and for that reason alone you can be sure that westerners will not miss it."

The program will start off auspiciously on April 17, which has been designated National Automobile Dealers Day at the Golden Gate International Exposition.

The assessment on sheep in Idaho has been cut from \$3 to \$2.75.

MYSTERY AT CHURCH YOUNGSTOWN, O., (U)—Experience which Sheriff Ralph Elser had as an assistant Sunday school teacher helped him solve an extortion mystery.

A farmer, G. C. Rousch, received a note which read:

"A warning, Mr. Rousch. If you want to live a lifetime bring \$5,000 and place on corner at stand on end of lane by 9 o'clock tonight."

The sheriff thought the sentence structure and spelling were familiar.

A former pupil in the sheriff's Sunday school class confessed that he sent the note.

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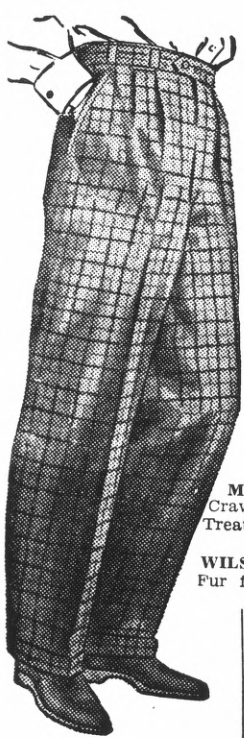
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FACTOGRAPHS

Did you think Uncle Sam won the war in 1812? He did not. It ended in a draw.

The smallest fish in Hawaiian waters is called by the natives "humuhumunukunapua" and it is not as long as its name.

The autograph of Martha Washington commands a higher price than that of her husband, George, as it is rarer. George Washington's autograph, however, is worth ten times as much as that of Theodore Roosevelt.

When one of Daniel Webster's beloved horses died, he is said to have had it buried with bridle and saddle on, feet downward, so the animal would remain standing for eternity.

BREWING CONCERN PAYS NEARLY 3 MILLION IN TAXES

Nearly three million dollars in taxes were paid during 1938 by just one California company, the Acme Breweries of San Francisco and Los Angeles, according to the announcement made today by Karl F. Schuster, President.

"Few people realize that one individual company such as ours can contribute so importantly to the general welfare," Schuster states. "Acme Breweries during the past year paid a total of \$2,793,125.80 in taxes.

"The brewing industry as a whole contributes well over one million dollars every day of the year to the tax coffers of Federal, State, and Local governments. It is impressive, I believe, to note that Acme Breweries by itself accounts for almost three days of this astronomical sum of money that yearly goes into the cost of running the government.

"During 1939, Acme Breweries cheerfully expects to pay out even more millions in taxes, because of the constantly increasing popularity of its products which are consistently increasing popularity of its products which are consistently advertised in leading newspapers."



Make a choice between Benny Goodman, KSFO, and Fibber McGee, KPO, for six-thirty on the air, and perhaps you'd like to wait on KPO for Bob Hope at seven o'clock. At the half hour, then, Jimmie Fidler on KSFO for fifteen minutes, and then it's night editor time on KPO again.

Amos and Andy are on KSFO at the usual time and if you must be entertained the next fifteen minutes there's a variety billing on KPO, which carries us up to half past eight and a choice of two programs: Mr. Robinson on KSFO and Mr. Russ Morgan on KPO.

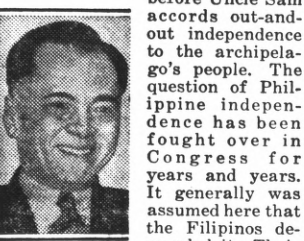
Dick Powell does the honors on KSFO at nine o'clock and at the half hour, the grouch club meets on the same station; or, there's a carnival on KPO. If you don't want to listen to Eddie Duchin, who plays for fifteen minutes at 9:30 on the KFRC program.

Stewart Says—

Quezon Has Put His Foot Into the Filipino Question

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

President Quezon of the Philippines suddenly has decided that he wants a Filipino plebiscite in 1944 before Uncle Sam



Quezon

so. There was, however, considerable congressional objection to letting him have it, on the ground that the islands' masses were unripe for self-government. Their leaders replied that this was immaterial. Away back in 1925, when Pedro Guevara was their commissioner here on Capitol Hill, I had an interview with him on the subject. "You Americans," he pointed out, "promised us independence whenever we asked for it. Now we're asking for self-government is our business; not yours. Are you going to make your pledge good?" That was during the era when bootleg racketeering was rampant. Commissioner Guevara held in his hand a local newspaper, the front page of which was frescoed with stories of wet-and-dry violence. He spread it out before me. "We're ripe for self-government," he asserted, "as you seem to be."

Same Logic in 'Em
His remarks had a certain amount of logic.

Moreover, there was quite a bit of American sentiment on the supposed theory that their argument was sound; partly on the theory that, as an American possession, the islands are too far-flung to be an asset to us. Rather a liability. Most of our naval authorities said so; so did some of our statesmen.

Harry Hawes of Missouri, while in the Senate, plugged furiously for the independence program. Harry's retired today, but Senator Millard Tydings of Maryland has directed the fight more recently. It's been a mixed military and economic proposition.

But back of it there has been the issue of pure justice.

Do the Filipinos want independence? If so, O.K. They're entitled to it.

But maybe they don't want it? Don't they possibly prefer staying with us to being gobbled by Japan a little later? On that supposition, we have to admit that we assumed (pretty forcibly) responsibility for them, and are more or less bound to protect them indefinitely, even as a liability.

The point is: Do they want our protection? Manuel L. Quezon undertook to solve this problem. He's an outstanding Filipino (now president). "I'll inform the Filipinos," he promised, "what's to their best interest."

It was a foregone conclusion that he'd be pro-independence—and that the Filipinos would be too subject to him to dispute his teachings. He was expected to have the masses under his thumb.

Swapping Horses
Now, Quezon, who guaranteed to inform the Philippine masses, serves notice that he suspects the Philippine masses have misinformed him. He isn't dead sure, but he wants a popular vote—he's extremely doubtful, in fact.

International politics are involved, but international economics even more so—sugar, vegetable oils and stuff like that.

The whole game has been set back by President Quezon to its very beginning—a dozen or fifteen years. When he heard the news Senator Tydings gave a loud groan, and said some profanity. What looked like having been settled a decade ago starts off all afresh.

It makes Dr. Vicente Villamin laugh. A celebrated Filipino economist, he's been stirring up pro-cohesion sentiment. Watch him. He's due to figure more than any other single individual in relationships in the Orient. As a comparatively inconspicuous Filipino, he's more than ponderable in the Far East.

The first straight car of delta asparagus was shipped March 15. Grange Day at the University Farm, Davis, will be held May 13.



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Safety Rules For Cycle Riders

Myers Asks Parents to Get Their Children to Adopt Them and Avoid Dangers

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

HAVE YOU ever seen pictures of people going to work in Copenhagen, Denmark? The street is a solid moving mass of bicycles. Despite the special wide runways for bicycles the whole street is used at busy hours. Traffic rules are strictly observed, each rider keeping his proper place almost like a soldier marching in formation.

In the United States and Canada the bicycle is used almost solely by children and for pleasure. In some places many children, especially in suburban areas, smaller cities, towns and villages, ride to school on bicycles. In residential areas one sees many children cruising about leisurely or in haste, singly or in groups, on their "bikes." They certainly become a nuisance to motorists, since so many seem to have no regard for traffic safety and public convenience. "You must look out for me!" usually is the attitude of the young cyclist.

Household Hint

A ventilator in the kitchen will help to remove cooking odors and take them out-of-doors. If you haven't a place in your kitchen for one of the newest type ventilators, keep a window open all the time and insert an inexpensive window ventilator in it.

Britain Seeks To Curb Duce

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garia if the Bulgars with or without the aid of Italy should invade Rumania or Greece.

4. France's cabinet, estimated to have called up 400,000 men in addition to her normal 650,000 armed forces, ordered the French fleet to

Bicycle Thefts

Theft of bicycles has also become a serious problem. In some places youths of high school age are enlisted to sit as judges on city police courts to deal with bicycle offenders. Many communities have not seen fit to establish any sort of rules for cyclists. Here are some which I think parents might encourage to make bicycle riding safer.

1. I will always stay on the extreme right hand side of the street or road and be always watching out for other traffic.
2. I will never carry a passenger on the handle bars or on the seat back of me.
3. I will never "hitch" onto any moving vehicle.
4. I will always look both ways before I cross at intersections or railroad crossings.

Proper Signal

5. Before I stop or get off my bicycle, I will give proper signal and be over at my edge of the street or road.
6. I will obey all traffic signals and stop signs, and after sunset I will carry a light in front and rear.
7. When I leave the curb next to a parked car I will first make sure the way is clear.
8. I will never zigzag or do tricks on street or highway.
9. I will always keep both hands on the handle bars.
10. When riding with a group, I will insist we ride in single file.
11. I will always be on the lookout for little children and other pedestrians.

join the British in the Mediterranean.

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TIRANA, Albania, (P)—Gen. Alfredo Guzzoni, in a proclamation to the Albanian people today, promised a program of work, justice, prosperity and progress but warned that anyone opposing the Italians would be severely punished. Guzzoni said the Italian troops had arrived on a "great and brotherly mission of peace and collaboration."

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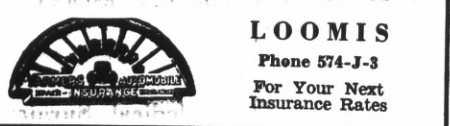
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